

Exercise 1

a.) Using

i.)

$$|10\rangle|10\rangle \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, |10\rangle|11\rangle \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, |11\rangle|10\rangle \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, |11\rangle|11\rangle \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Find the 4×4 matrix for CNOT. Show that it is unitary.

$$|10\rangle|10\rangle \rightarrow |10\rangle|10\rangle : |10\rangle|11\rangle \rightarrow |10\rangle|11\rangle : |11\rangle|10\rangle \rightarrow |11\rangle|11\rangle : |11\rangle|11\rangle \rightarrow |11\rangle|10\rangle$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$U_{CNOT} = \boxed{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}}$$

ii.)

$$U_{CNOT}^T \times U_{CNOT} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

U_{CNOT} is unitary

b.) Consider $|1\psi_0\rangle = |10\rangle \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|10\rangle + |11\rangle) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|10\rangle|10\rangle + |10\rangle|11\rangle)$.

i.) Find $|1\psi\rangle = U_{CNOT}|1\psi_0\rangle$

$$|1\psi\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \therefore \boxed{|1\psi\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|10\rangle|10\rangle + |10\rangle|11\rangle)}$$

ii.) Is this state entangled

This State is a product

Exercise 1 Continued

c.) Consider $|1\psi_0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle + |1\rangle) |0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle|0\rangle + |1\rangle|0\rangle)$

i.) Find $|1\psi\rangle = U_{CNOT} |1\psi_0\rangle$

$$|1\psi\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \therefore |1\psi\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle|0\rangle + |1\rangle|1\rangle)$$

ii.) Is this state entangled

This State is entangled.

d.) Consider $|1\psi_0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle|0\rangle + |1\rangle|1\rangle)$

i.) Find $|1\psi\rangle = U_{CNOT} |1\psi_0\rangle$

$$|1\psi\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \therefore |1\psi\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle|0\rangle + |1\rangle|0\rangle)$$

ii.) Is this state entangled

This State is a product

e.) Consider $|1\psi_0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle|1\rangle + |1\rangle|0\rangle)$

i.) Find $|1\psi\rangle = U_{CNOT} |1\psi_0\rangle$

$$|1\psi\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \therefore |1\psi\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle|1\rangle + |1\rangle|1\rangle)$$

ii.) Is this state entangled

This State is a product

Exercise 2

$$\text{Show that } U_{CNOT} = \frac{1}{2}(\hat{I} + \hat{\sigma}_z) \otimes \hat{I} + \frac{1}{2}(\hat{I} - \hat{\sigma}_z) \otimes \hat{\sigma}_x = \frac{1}{2} [\hat{I} \otimes \hat{I} + \hat{\sigma}_z \otimes \hat{I} + \hat{I} \otimes \hat{\sigma}_x - \hat{\sigma}_z \otimes \hat{\sigma}_x]$$

$$\hat{I} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \hat{\sigma}_z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}, \hat{\sigma}_x = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$U_{CNOT} = \frac{1}{2}(\hat{I} + \hat{\sigma}_z) \otimes \hat{I} + \frac{1}{2}(\hat{I} - \hat{\sigma}_z) \otimes \hat{\sigma}_x$$

$$\hat{I} + \hat{\sigma}_z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} : \hat{I} - \hat{\sigma}_z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(\hat{I} + \hat{\sigma}_z) \otimes \hat{I} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} : \frac{1}{2}(\hat{I} + \hat{\sigma}_z) \otimes \hat{I} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(\hat{I} - \hat{\sigma}_z) \otimes \hat{\sigma}_x = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} : \frac{1}{2}(\hat{I} - \hat{\sigma}_z) \otimes \hat{\sigma}_x = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}(\hat{I} + \hat{\sigma}_z) \otimes \hat{I} + \frac{1}{2}(\hat{I} - \hat{\sigma}_z) \otimes \hat{\sigma}_x = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$U_{CNOT} = \boxed{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}}$$

Exercise 3

one important class of unitaries has form: $\frac{1}{2} (\hat{I} \otimes \hat{I} + \hat{I} \otimes \hat{\sigma}_n + \hat{\sigma}_n \otimes \hat{I} - \hat{\sigma}_n \otimes \hat{\sigma}_n)$

where n is some direction.

a.) Determine the matrix for $\frac{1}{2} (\hat{I} \otimes \hat{I} + \hat{I} \otimes \hat{\sigma}_z + \hat{\sigma}_z \otimes \hat{I} - \hat{\sigma}_z \otimes \hat{\sigma}_z)$

$$\text{i.) } \hat{I} \otimes \hat{I} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} : \hat{I} \otimes \hat{\sigma}_z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\sigma}_z \otimes \hat{I} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} : \hat{\sigma}_z \otimes \hat{\sigma}_z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (\hat{I} \otimes \hat{I} + \hat{I} \otimes \hat{\sigma}_z + \hat{\sigma}_z \otimes \hat{I} - \hat{\sigma}_z \otimes \hat{\sigma}_z) = \frac{1}{2} \left[\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (\hat{I} \otimes \hat{I} + \hat{I} \otimes \hat{\sigma}_z + \hat{\sigma}_z \otimes \hat{I} - \hat{\sigma}_z \otimes \hat{\sigma}_z) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

ii.) Determine action on $|10\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle + |1\rangle) \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle + |1\rangle) = \frac{1}{2} (|0\rangle|0\rangle + |0\rangle|1\rangle + |1\rangle|0\rangle + |1\rangle|1\rangle)$

$$|10\rangle = \hat{U}|10\rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \therefore |10\rangle = (|0\rangle|0\rangle + |0\rangle|1\rangle + |1\rangle|0\rangle - |1\rangle|1\rangle)$$

iii.) Entangled or not?

This is an entangled state

Exercise 3 Continued

b.) Determine the matrix for $\frac{1}{2}(\hat{I} \otimes \hat{I} + \hat{I} \otimes \hat{\sigma}_x + \hat{\sigma}_x \otimes \hat{I} - \hat{\sigma}_x \otimes \hat{\sigma}_x)$

$$\text{i.) } \hat{I} \otimes \hat{I} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} : \hat{I} \otimes \hat{\sigma}_x = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\sigma}_x \otimes \hat{I} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} : \hat{\sigma}_x \otimes \hat{\sigma}_x = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}(\hat{I} \otimes \hat{I} + \hat{I} \otimes \hat{\sigma}_x + \hat{\sigma}_x \otimes \hat{I} - \hat{\sigma}_x \otimes \hat{\sigma}_x) = \left[\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{2}(\hat{I} \otimes \hat{I} + \hat{I} \otimes \hat{\sigma}_x + \hat{\sigma}_x \otimes \hat{I} - \hat{\sigma}_x \otimes \hat{\sigma}_x) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

ii.) Determine action on $|1\rangle\langle 1|_0 = |10\rangle\langle 10|$

$$|1\rangle\langle 1|_0 = \hat{U}|1\rangle\langle 1|_0 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \therefore |1\rangle\langle 1|_0 = \frac{1}{2}(|10\rangle\langle 10| + |10\rangle\langle 11| + |11\rangle\langle 10| - |11\rangle\langle 11|)$$

iii.) Entangled or not?

This is an entangled state

Exercise 4

Suppose single qubit has density operator: $\hat{\rho} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r & 0 \\ 0 & 1-r \end{pmatrix}$ where $0 \leq r \leq 1$. Determine probabilities of outcomes.

a.) SG \hat{z}

i.) SG+ \hat{z} : Prob(+ \hat{z}) = $\langle \langle 0| \hat{\rho} | 1 \rangle \rangle$

$$\hat{\rho}|1\rangle = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r & 0 \\ 0 & 1-r \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} : \langle 0| \hat{\rho} | 1 \rangle = (1|0) \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1+r}{2}$$

$\text{prob}(+\hat{z}) = \frac{1+r}{2}$

ii.) SG- \hat{z} : Prob(- \hat{z}) = $\langle \langle 1| \hat{\rho} | 1 \rangle \rangle$

$$\hat{\rho}|1\rangle = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r & 0 \\ 0 & 1-r \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1-r \end{pmatrix} : \langle 1| \hat{\rho} | 1 \rangle = (0|1) \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1-r \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1-r}{2}$$

$\text{prob}(-\hat{z}) = \frac{1-r}{2}$

b.) SG \hat{x}

i.) SG+ \hat{x} : Prob(+ \hat{x}) = $\langle \langle +\hat{x}| 1 | \hat{\rho} | 1 + \hat{x} \rangle \rangle$

$$\hat{\rho}|1+\hat{x}\rangle = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r & 0 \\ 0 & 1-r \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r \\ 1-r \end{pmatrix} : \langle +\hat{x}| \hat{\rho} | 1 + \hat{x} \rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (1|1) \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r \\ 1-r \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \cdot 2$$

$\text{prob}(+\hat{x}) = \frac{1}{2}$

ii.) SG- \hat{x} : Prob(- \hat{x}) = $\langle \langle -\hat{x}| 1 | \hat{\rho} | 1 - \hat{x} \rangle \rangle$

$$\hat{\rho}|1-\hat{x}\rangle = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r & 0 \\ 0 & 1-r \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r \\ r-1 \end{pmatrix} : \langle -\hat{x}| \hat{\rho} | 1 - \hat{x} \rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (-1|1) \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r \\ r-1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \cdot 2$$

$\text{prob}(-\hat{x}) = \frac{1}{2}$

Exercise 5

Suppose single qubit has density operator: $\hat{\rho} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & r \\ r & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ where $0 \leq r \leq 1$. Determine probabilities of outcomes.

a.) SG \hat{z}

i.) SG $+\hat{z}$: $\text{Prob}(+\hat{z}) = \langle \langle 0| \hat{\rho} | 1 \rangle \rangle$

$$\hat{\rho}|1\rangle = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & r \\ r & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ r \end{pmatrix} : \langle 0| \hat{\rho} | 1 \rangle = (10) \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ r \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\boxed{\text{Prob}(+\hat{z}) = \frac{1}{2}}$$

ii.) SG $+\hat{z}$: $\text{Prob}(+\hat{z}) = \langle \langle 1| \hat{\rho} | 1 \rangle \rangle$

$$\hat{\rho}|1\rangle = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & r \\ r & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} r \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} : \langle 1| \hat{\rho} | 1 \rangle = (01) \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} r \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\boxed{\text{Prob}(-\hat{z}) = \frac{1}{2}}$$

b.) SG \hat{x}

i.) SG $+\hat{x}$: $\text{Prob}(+\hat{x}) = \langle \langle +\hat{x}| \hat{\rho} | 1 + \hat{x} \rangle \rangle$

$$\hat{\rho}|1 + \hat{x}\rangle = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & r \\ r & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r \\ r+1 \end{pmatrix} : \langle +\hat{x}| \hat{\rho} | 1 + \hat{x} \rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (11) \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r \\ r+1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1+r}{2}$$

$$\boxed{\text{Prob}(+\hat{x}) = \frac{1+r}{2}}$$

ii.) SG $-\hat{x}$: $\text{Prob}(-\hat{x}) = \langle \langle -\hat{x}| \hat{\rho} | 1 - \hat{x} \rangle \rangle$

$$\hat{\rho}|1 - \hat{x}\rangle = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & r \\ r & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1-r \\ r-1 \end{pmatrix} : \langle -\hat{x}| \hat{\rho} | 1 - \hat{x} \rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (1-) \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1-r \\ r-1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1-r}{2}$$

$$\boxed{\text{Prob}(-\hat{x}) = \frac{1-r}{2}}$$

Exercise 6

For the following states + probs construct density operators matrix

a.) $|0\rangle$ with prob ϱ , $|1\rangle$ with prob $1-\varrho$

$$\varrho|0\rangle\langle 0| + (1-\varrho)|1\rangle\langle 1| = \varrho \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + (1-\varrho) \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \varrho \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + (1-\varrho) \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\hat{\rho} = \begin{pmatrix} \varrho & 0 \\ 0 & 1-\varrho \end{pmatrix}}$$

b.) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle)$ with prob ϱ , $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle - |1\rangle)$ with prob $1-\varrho$

$$\varrho|+\rangle\langle +| + (1-\varrho)|-\rangle\langle -| = \varrho \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + (1-\varrho) \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{(1-\varrho)}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \varrho & \varrho \\ \varrho & \varrho \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1-\varrho & \varrho-1 \\ \varrho-1 & 1-\varrho \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2\varrho-1 \\ 2\varrho-1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\hat{\rho} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2\varrho-1 \\ 2\varrho-1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}}$$

c.) Show that

$$\text{i.) } \hat{\rho} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r & 0 \\ 0 & 1-r \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} (\hat{I} + r\hat{\sigma}_z)$$

$$\hat{I} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \hat{\sigma}_z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} : \quad \hat{I} + r\hat{\sigma}_z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + r \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} r & 0 \\ 0 & -r \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1+r & 0 \\ 0 & 1-r \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (\hat{I} + r\hat{\sigma}_z) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r & 0 \\ 0 & 1-r \end{pmatrix} = \hat{\rho}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\hat{\rho} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r & 0 \\ 0 & 1-r \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} (\hat{I} + r\hat{\sigma}_z)}$$

$$\text{ii.) } \hat{\rho} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & r \\ r & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} (\hat{I} + r\hat{\sigma}_x)$$

$$\hat{I} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \hat{\sigma}_x = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} : \quad \hat{I} + r\hat{\sigma}_x = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + r \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & r \\ r & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & r \\ r & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (\hat{I} + r\hat{\sigma}_x) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & r \\ r & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \hat{\rho}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\hat{\rho} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & r \\ r & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} (\hat{I} + r\hat{\sigma}_x)}$$

Exercise 7

$\hat{\rho} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r & 0 \\ 0 & 1-r \end{pmatrix}$ use $\text{Tr}[\hat{\rho}\hat{\rho}_0]$ to get probabilities for

a.) SG \hat{x} $|+\hat{x}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle)$, $|-\hat{x}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle - |1\rangle)$

i.) $\langle +\hat{x}| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\langle 0| + \langle 1|)$, $\langle -\hat{x}| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\langle 0| - \langle 1|)$

$$\hat{\rho}_+ = |+\hat{x}\rangle\langle +\hat{x}| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} : \hat{\rho}_+ = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\rho} \cdot \hat{\rho}_+ = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r & 0 \\ 0 & 1-r \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r & 1+r \\ 1-r & 1-r \end{pmatrix} : \text{Tr}(\hat{\rho} \cdot \hat{\rho}_+) = \frac{1}{4}(1+r+1-r) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$\text{prob}(+\hat{x}) = \frac{1}{2}$

ii.)

$$\hat{\rho}_- = |-\hat{x}\rangle\langle -\hat{x}| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} : \hat{\rho}_- = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\rho} \cdot \hat{\rho}_- = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r & 0 \\ 0 & 1-r \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r & -r-1 \\ r-1 & 1-r \end{pmatrix} : \text{Tr}(\hat{\rho} \cdot \hat{\rho}_-) = \frac{1}{4}(1+r+1-r) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$\text{prob}(-\hat{x}) = \frac{1}{2}$

b.) SG \hat{y} $|+\hat{y}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + i|1\rangle)$, $|-\hat{y}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle - i|1\rangle)$

i.) $\langle +\hat{y}| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\langle 0| - i\langle 1|)$, $\langle -\hat{y}| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\langle 0| + i\langle 1|)$

ii.)

$$\hat{\rho}_+ = |+\hat{y}\rangle\langle +\hat{y}| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1-i) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -i \\ i & 1 \end{pmatrix} : \hat{\rho}_+ = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -i \\ i & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\rho} \cdot \hat{\rho}_+ = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r & 0 \\ 0 & 1-r \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -i \\ i & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r & -i(1+r) \\ i(1-r) & 1-r \end{pmatrix} : \text{Tr}(\hat{\rho} \cdot \hat{\rho}_+) = \frac{1}{4}(1+r+1-r) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$\text{prob}(+\hat{y}) = \frac{1}{2}$

Exercise 7 continued

ii.)

$$\hat{\rho}_+ = |\hat{Y}\rangle \langle -\hat{Y}| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (1 i) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & i \\ -i & 1 \end{pmatrix} : \quad \hat{\rho}_- = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & i \\ -i & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\rho} \cdot \hat{\rho}_- = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r & 0 \\ 0 & 1-r \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & i \\ -i & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} 1+r & i(1+r) \\ -i(1-r) & 1-r \end{pmatrix} : \quad \text{Tr}(\hat{\rho} \cdot \hat{\rho}_-) = \frac{1}{4} (1+r+1-r) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\boxed{\text{prob}(-\hat{y}) = \frac{1}{2}}$$

Exercise 8

$\hat{\rho} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & i \\ i & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ use $\text{Tr}[\hat{\rho}\hat{\rho}_0]$ to get probabilities for

a.) SG \hat{x} $|+\hat{x}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle)$, $|-\hat{x}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle - |1\rangle)$

i.) $\langle +\hat{x}| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\langle 0| + \langle 1|)$, $\langle -\hat{x}| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\langle 0| - \langle 1|)$

$$\hat{\rho}_+ = |+\hat{x}\rangle\langle +\hat{x}| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} : \hat{\rho}_+ = \frac{1}{2}\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ i & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\rho}_+ \cdot \hat{\rho}_+ = \frac{1}{2}\begin{pmatrix} 1 & r \\ r & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{2}\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ i & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4}\begin{pmatrix} 1+r & 1+r \\ 1+r & 1+r \end{pmatrix} : \text{Tr}(\hat{\rho}_+ \cdot \hat{\rho}_+) = \frac{1}{4}(1+r+1+r) = \frac{1}{2}(1+r)$$

$\text{prob}(+\hat{x}) = \frac{1}{2}(1+r)$

ii.)

$$\hat{\rho}_- = |-\hat{x}\rangle\langle -\hat{x}| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} : \hat{\rho}_- = \frac{1}{2}\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -i & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\rho}_- \cdot \hat{\rho}_- = \frac{1}{2}\begin{pmatrix} 1 & r \\ r & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{2}\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -i & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4}\begin{pmatrix} 1-r & r-1 \\ r-1 & 1-r \end{pmatrix} : \text{Tr}(\hat{\rho}_- \cdot \hat{\rho}_-) = \frac{1}{4}(1-r+1-r) = \frac{1}{2}(1-r)$$

$\text{prob}(-\hat{x}) = \frac{1}{2}(1-r)$

b.) SG \hat{Y} $|+\hat{Y}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + i|1\rangle)$, $|-\hat{Y}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle - i|1\rangle)$

i.) $\langle +\hat{Y}| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\langle 0| - i\langle 1|)$, $\langle -\hat{Y}| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\langle 0| + i\langle 1|)$

ii.)

$$\hat{\rho}_+ = |+\hat{Y}\rangle\langle +\hat{Y}| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -i \end{pmatrix} : \hat{\rho}_+ = \frac{1}{2}\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -i \\ i & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\rho}_+ \cdot \hat{\rho}_+ = \frac{1}{2}\begin{pmatrix} 1 & r \\ r & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{2}\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -i \\ i & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4}\begin{pmatrix} 1+i & r-i \\ r+i & 1-i \end{pmatrix} : \text{Tr}(\hat{\rho}_+ \cdot \hat{\rho}_+) = \frac{1}{4}(1+i+r+1-i) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$\text{prob}(+\hat{Y}) = \frac{1}{2}$

Exercise 8 Continued

ii.)

$$\hat{\rho}_- = |\Psi\rangle \langle -\Psi| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -i \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (1 i) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & i \\ -i & 1 \end{pmatrix} : \quad \hat{\rho}_- = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & i \\ -i & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\rho}_+ \hat{\rho}_- = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & i \\ r & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & i \\ -i & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} 1-i^2r & i+r \\ r+i & 1+i^2r \end{pmatrix} : \quad \text{Tr}(\hat{\rho}_+ \hat{\rho}_-) = \frac{1}{4} (1-i^2r + 1+i^2r) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\boxed{\text{prob}(-\Psi) = \frac{1}{2}}$$

Exercise 9

a.) $\hat{\rho} = \frac{1}{2} (\hat{I} + \hat{\sigma}_z)$ can find $|n\rangle$ s.t. $\hat{\rho}|n\rangle\langle n|$

$$\hat{I} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \hat{\sigma}_z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} : \hat{\rho} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\rho} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} : |n\rangle = |0\rangle \quad \therefore \quad |n\rangle\langle n| = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} (1|0) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \checkmark$$

$$|n\rangle = |0\rangle$$

b.) $\hat{\rho} = \frac{1}{2} (\hat{I} + \hat{\sigma}_x)$ can find $|n\rangle$ s.t. $\hat{\rho}|n\rangle\langle n|$

$$\hat{I} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \hat{\sigma}_x = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} : \hat{\rho} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\rho} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} : |n\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle + |1\rangle) \quad \therefore \quad |n\rangle\langle n| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (1) \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (1|1) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \checkmark$$

$$|n\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|0\rangle + |1\rangle)$$

Exercise 10

$$\hat{\rho}_0 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & r \\ r & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} (\hat{x} + r \hat{\sigma}_x), \quad \hat{u}(\alpha) = \begin{pmatrix} e^{-i\alpha/2} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\alpha/2} \end{pmatrix}$$

using $\hat{\rho}(\alpha) = \hat{u}(\alpha) \hat{\rho}_0 \hat{u}^*(\alpha)$, find $\hat{\rho}(\alpha)$

$$\hat{\rho}(\alpha) = \begin{pmatrix} e^{-i\alpha/2} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\alpha/2} \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & r \\ r & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} e^{i\alpha/2} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-i\alpha/2} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} e^{-i\alpha/2} & re^{-i\alpha/2} \\ re^{i\alpha/2} & e^{i\alpha/2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e^{i\alpha/2} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-i\alpha/2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & re^{-i\alpha} \\ re^{i\alpha} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$\boxed{\hat{\rho}(\alpha) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & re^{-i\alpha} \\ re^{i\alpha} & 1 \end{pmatrix}}$$

Exercise 11

For just one particle



$$\hat{\rho}(\alpha) = \begin{pmatrix} e^{-i\alpha/2} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{i\alpha/2} \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & r \\ r & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} e^{i\alpha/2} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-i\alpha/2} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} e^{-i\alpha/2} & re^{-i\alpha/2} \\ re^{i\alpha/2} & e^{i\alpha/2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e^{i\alpha/2} & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-i\alpha/2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & re^{-i\alpha} \\ re^{i\alpha} & 1 \end{pmatrix} : \quad \hat{\rho}(\alpha) = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & re^{-i\alpha} \\ re^{i\alpha} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|+\hat{x}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle + |1\rangle), \quad |-\hat{x}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(|0\rangle - |1\rangle), \quad \langle +\hat{x}| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\langle 0| + \langle 1|), \quad \langle -\hat{x}| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\langle 0| - \langle 1|)$$

$$\text{Measure } +\hat{x} : \quad \langle +\hat{x}| \hat{\rho}(\alpha) |+\hat{x}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(11) \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & re^{-i\alpha} \\ re^{i\alpha} & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1) = \frac{1}{4}(11) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & re^{-i\alpha} \\ re^{i\alpha} & 1 \end{pmatrix} (1)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}(11) \begin{pmatrix} 1+re^{-i\alpha} \\ 1+re^{i\alpha} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4}(1+re^{-i\alpha} + 1+re^{i\alpha})$$

$$\langle +\hat{x}| \hat{\rho}(\alpha) |+\hat{x}\rangle = \frac{1}{4}(2+re^{-i\alpha}+re^{i\alpha}) = \frac{1}{4}(2+r\cos(\alpha) - ir\sin(\alpha) + r\cos(\alpha) + ir\sin(\alpha)) = \frac{1}{2}(1+r\cos(\alpha))$$

$$\langle +\hat{x}| \hat{\rho}(\alpha) |+\hat{x}\rangle = \frac{1}{2}(1+r\cos(\alpha)) \quad \longrightarrow P_+$$

$$\text{Measure } -\hat{x} : \quad \langle -\hat{x}| \hat{\rho}(\alpha) |-\hat{x}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(1-1) \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & re^{-i\alpha} \\ re^{i\alpha} & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(-1) = \frac{1}{4}(1-1) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & re^{-i\alpha} \\ re^{i\alpha} & 1 \end{pmatrix} (-1)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}(1-1) \begin{pmatrix} 1-re^{-i\alpha} \\ re^{i\alpha}-1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4}(1-re^{-i\alpha} + 1-re^{i\alpha})$$

$$\langle -\hat{x}| \hat{\rho}(\alpha) |-\hat{x}\rangle = \frac{1}{4}(2-re^{-i\alpha}-re^{i\alpha}) = \frac{1}{4}(2-r\cos(\alpha) + ir\sin(\alpha) - r\cos(\alpha) - ir\sin(\alpha)) = \frac{1}{2}(1-r\cos(\alpha))$$

$$\langle -\hat{x}| \hat{\rho}(\alpha) |-\hat{x}\rangle = \frac{1}{2}(1-r\cos(\alpha)) \quad \longrightarrow P_-$$

$$F = F_+ + F_-$$

$$F_r : P_+ = \frac{1}{2}(1+r\cos(\alpha)) : \quad \frac{\partial P_+}{\partial \alpha} = -\frac{r}{2}\sin(\alpha) : \quad \left(\frac{\partial P_+}{\partial \alpha}\right)^2 = \frac{r^2}{4}\sin^2(\alpha)$$

$$\frac{2}{1+r\cos(\alpha)} \cdot \frac{r^2}{4}\sin^2(\alpha) = \frac{r^2\sin^2(\alpha)}{2(1+r\cos(\alpha))} = F_+$$

Exercise II Continued

$$F_- : P_- = \frac{1}{2}(1-r\cos(\alpha)) : \frac{\partial P_-}{\partial \alpha} = \frac{r}{2}\sin(\omega) : \left(\frac{\partial P_-}{\partial \alpha}\right)^2 = \frac{r^2}{4}\sin^2(\omega)$$

$$\frac{2}{1-r\cos(\omega)} \cdot \frac{r^2\sin^2(\alpha)}{4} = \frac{r^2\sin^2(\alpha)}{2(1-r\cos(\alpha))} = F_-$$

$$\begin{aligned} F &= F_+ + F_- = \frac{r^2\sin^2(\alpha)}{2(1+r\cos(\omega))} + \frac{r^2\sin^2(\alpha)}{2(1-r\cos(\alpha))} = \frac{r^2}{2} \left(\frac{\sin^2(\alpha)}{1+r\cos(\omega)} + \frac{\sin^2(\alpha)}{1-r\cos(\alpha)} \right) \\ &= \frac{r^2}{2} \left(\frac{(1-r\cos(\omega))\sin^2(\alpha) + (1+r\cos(\omega))\sin^2(\alpha)}{1-r^2\cos^2(\alpha)} \right) = \frac{r^2}{2} \left(\frac{2\sin^2(\alpha)}{1-r^2\cos^2(\alpha)} \right) \\ &= \frac{r^2 \cdot \sin^2(\alpha)}{1-r^2\cos^2(\alpha)} = \end{aligned}$$

$$F = \frac{r^2 \cdot \sin^2(\alpha)}{1-r^2\cos^2(\alpha)}$$